	आयात (मि० टन में)	मूल्य (करोड रु० में)
1992-93		
सैल	4.248	790.00
वी०एस०पी०	1.660	355.93
जोड़	5.908	1145.94

ये कोयला आस्ट्रेलिया, न्यूजीलैण्ड और हालैण्ड से आयात किया गया था ।

(घ) लौह एवं इस्पात उद्योगों के प्रयोग के लिए कोकिंग कोयले की देशीय उपलब्धता में वृद्धि किए जाने के लिए, अन्य कदमों के अलावा, उठाये गये कुछ कदमों में निम्नलिखित कदम शामिल हैं :–

(1) विद्यमान वाशरियों का विद्यमान खानों का पुनर्गठन करके तथा नई खानों को विकसित करके कच्चे कोकिंग कोयले की आपूर्ति में वृद्धि किया जाना;

(2) निम्न ज्वलनशील कोकिंग कोयले के स्रोतों को सुदृढ़िकरण करके वाशरियों के फीड में वृद्धि किया जाना जिन्हे गुणवत्ता के आधार पर वर्ष 1984-85 में वाशरियों से असंयोजित कर दिया गया था और जिन्हें परीक्षण के बाद अब स्वीकार्य पाया गया है ;

(3) दो नई वाशरियों एक मधुबंद तथा एक केडला में विद्यमानधुलाई क्षमता में वृद्धि किए जाने के लिए चालू किए जाने की कार्रवाई को तेज किया जाना ।

(4) तकनीकी समिति की सिफारिशों को क्रियान्वित करने के लिए विद्यमान कोकिंग कोयले में सुधार किया जाना ताकि क्षमता उपयोगिता तथा धुले हुए कोककर कोयले की गुणवत्ता में सुधार किया जा सके ।

(5) इस्पात संयंत्रों में असम तथा मेघालय में उपलब्ध निम्न राख वाले कोककर कोयले का अधिक मात्रा में परिवहन किया जाना ।

Implementation of Bachawat Wage Board Recommendations

*198. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) what efforts have so far been made by the Central Government for securing more extensive implementation of Bachawat Wage Board recommendations, and as on 28th July, 1993, how many establishments out of 1569 newspaper establishments have fully/partly implemented them;

(b) what were the recommendations made in the last meeting of empowered committee in this regard; and

(c) what are the names of the states and Union Territories where neither Tripartite committees nor implementation cells have been formed so far and the details of the number of establishments which have challenged this Bachawat Wage Board Award and cases pending in the courts?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI P. A. SANGMA): (a) to (c) The onus for the implementation of the Bachawat Wage Board recommendations lies with the State Governments. The Central Government had requested the State Governments to ensure effective implementation of the recommendations of the Bachawat Wage Board. The State Governments were also requested to constitute "special cells" to oversee the implementation of these recommendations.

According to the latest information received from the State Governments and Union Territory administrations, out of 1557 newspaper establishments, 611 have fully implemented the recommendations of Bachawat Wage Board and 34 partly. The decisions taken by the Empowered Committee related to the matters concerning with Safety, Health & Hygiene, Over-

time allowance, Leave Travel Concession and Medical Care.

A Statement indicating the details regarding the constitution of the Committees/Implementation Cells by the State Governments and UT Administrations is annexed (*see* below).

Twenty (20) newspaper establishments have challenged the Bachawat Award. In all, 23 cases are pending before Supreme Court/Delhi High Court.

Statement

CONSTITUTION OF TRIPARTITE COMMITTEES/IMPLEMENTATION CELLS BY THE STATE GOVERNMENTS/U.T. ADMINISTRATIONS.

S. No.	State/Union Territory	Tripartite Committee formed	Implementation Cell formed
1	2	3	4
1	Madhya Pradesh	1	..
2	Kerala	1	..
3	Bihar	1	..
4	Arunachal Pradesh	..	..
5	Tamil Nadu	..	..
6	Rajasthan	..	1
7	Manipur	..	..
8	Gujarat	..	..
9	Goa	..	..
10	Haryana	..	..
11	Andhra Pradesh	1	..
12	Assam	1	..
13	Karnataka	..	..
14	Maharashtra	..	1
15	Punjab	..	1
16	Uttar Pradesh	1	..
17	West Bengal	1	..
18	Orissa	1	..
19	Tripura	1	..
20	Sikkim	..	..
21	Himachal Pradesh	..	..
22	Meghlaya	..	..
23	Nagaland	..	..
24	Mizoram	..	..
25	J & K	..	..
26	Delhi	..	1
27	Chandigarh	..	..
28	Pondicherry	..	..
	TOTAL	9	4

NOTE: There is no newspaper establishment in the following Union Territories: (1) Andaman & Nicobar (2) Dadra & Nagar Haveli, (3) Lakshadweep (4) Daman & Diu.

Report on New Industrial Relations Law

*199. SHRI S. VIDUTHALAI VIRUMBI:

SHRI V. GOPALSAMY:

Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to refer to the answer to Unstarred Question 54 given in the Rajya Sabha on 26th April, 1993 and state:

(a) whether any report or status paper has been prepared by the Committee headed by the Labour Minister;

(b) if so, whether a copy of the same will be laid on the table of the House;

(c) the names of the members of this committee;

(d) whether this report/status paper has been circulated among the trade unions;

(e) if so, how many among them sent their comments to Government;

(f) what are the comments of respective central trade unions on each issue;

(g) whether Government propose to conduct seminar/conference to elicit public opinion on this issue, and

(h) if so, what are the details thereof?